

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re patent application of

Yoshiaki Ishigami, et al.

Serial No.: 10/759,528



Group Art Unit: 3676

Filing Date: January 20, 2004

Examiner: Unknown

For: PACKAGE WITH LOCK MECHANISM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (copy attached), dated October 14, 2004, submitted herewith is the signed declaration for the above-identified patent application, along with our check in the amount of \$1,048 to cover the \$790 application fee, the \$130 surcharge for the late filing of the declaration, \$40 for the assignment recordation fee, and \$88 for additional claim fee.

Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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02 FC:1201	88.00 OP
03 FC:1051	130.00 OP

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 790 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings have a line quality that is too light to be reproduced (weight of all lines and letters must be heavy enough to permit adequate reproduction) or text that is illegible (reference characters, sheet numbers, and view numbers must be plain and legible) see 37 CFR 1.84(l) and (p)(1)); See Figure(s) 1, 2.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$88 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

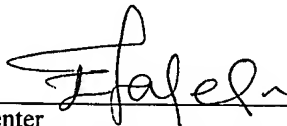
Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1008** for a Large Entity

- **\$790** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$88**
  - **\$88** for **1** independent claims over 3.

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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (copy attached) dated October 14, 2004, submitted herewith are thirty four (34) sheets of formal drawings comprising figures 1-36 for the above-identified patent application. Acknowledgment of receipt in respectfully requested. Please substitute these formal drawings for the drawings which were filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sean McGinn".

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